

## MAN WHO SLAYS FATHER-IN-LAW NOW IN PRISON

Jim Duncan Who Killed W. E. King Near Selmer, Tenn., and Wounded King's Wife to Have Preliminary Trial.

SELMER, Tenn., May 4. (Sp.)—Jim Duncan, who killed W. E. King at his home in the northwest part of this county Friday night and at the same time badly wounded King's wife, using a double-barrel shotgun, surrendered to officers late Monday and was committed to jail, awaiting a preliminary hearing at Selmer Thursday, before W. H. Stone, justice of the peace.

It is reported that Duncan went to the home of King, and attempted to break the door open, it being barred by King, who heard Duncan coming. King succeeded in keeping him from entering, whereupon Duncan fired through the door, killing King instantly. He fired a second shot through the door, wounding Mrs. King badly. Duncan's wife, who is a daughter of the Kings, had filed a divorce suit against Duncan, and it is alleged that the feud thus started. Duncan's wife was not at the home of her father, where she was making her home, on the night of the killing, having gone to Selmer to spend the night with Sheriff Dillon, who is a nephew of the deceased King. King was a farmer, about 60 years old. Duncan is a farmer of about 35 years.

## TO CUT COURT TERM IN AID OF FARMERS

UNION CITY, Tenn., May 4. (Sp.)—Judge Elkins opened the May term of circuit court here today and while there is a large docket, owing to the fact that most of the litigants are among the agricultural class and the season is now on for the farmers to stick close to the farm it is very probable that the court will not be in session as long as usual.

Judge Elkins, in his charge to the grand jury, laid especial emphasis on the election law, the dog law and the game and fish law, especially that part of the law that applies to fishing on Reelfoot lake.

Esq. J. C. Potter is the foreman of the grand jury.

## CONFERENCE ON WAGE SCALE

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Conference between Secretary Wilson and the subcommittee of the anthracite miners and operators looking to a new wage agreement, was continued today at the department of labor. The session was executive and those attending continued their attitude of silence as to the negotiations.

## Urges Clothiers To Combat Fair Price Regulations

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 4.—"We are facing conditions worse than any that existed in war times," said Charles E. Wray, of Chicago, secretary of the National Association of Retail Clothiers, to merchants gathered here to attend the convention of the Arkansas State Association of Retail Clothiers and Furnishers. "We are in the midst of the fair price regulations," he said. "It is in the cards to make it 'hot' for the clothing business and it will take every ounce of our energy to combat it. There is a wide divergence of opinion upon the part of the public and the courts as to a fair margin of profit. Politics may be in it but the condition is, in some respects, only a response to demand."

"The public is looking to us to break the prices but it is an utter impossibility when the manufacturers charge 25 per cent increase on every new line they put out."

## Begin Trial Of Boy Charged With Operator's Death

PONTIAC, Mich., May 4.—How the state expects to prove its case against Arden Best, charged with the murder of Vera Schneider, 19-year-old telephone operator, April 24, was outlined in circuit court here this forenoon by Prosecutor Gillespie.

The prosecutor described events leading up to Best's arrest and said: "He confessed to the crime and then denied the confession, claiming it was forced from him."

Witnesses would be produced, he said, who, contrary to Best's last statement that he had never seen Miss Schneider, would testify he was with her the night she was killed. Among them, he said, would be a proprietor of a restaurant who would identify Best as the man who accompanied her to their ice cream parlor. Newspaper men, he said, would tell of finding a handkerchief on the banks of the Clinton river, where Best in his first statement, said he threw Miss Schneider's handkerchief after using it to wipe blood from his hands.

## JACKSON I. O. O. F. HOLD CELEBRATION

JACKSON, Tenn., May 4. (Sp.)—The 101st anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was celebrated by Royal Poinsett lodge No. 127 and the auxiliary, Geranium Rebekah lodge No. 48, in Odd Fellows hall Tuesday.

A number of addresses, recitations, musical selections and other entertaining features were included in the program. Refreshments were served.

## SHIP SALE URGED.

RIO JANEIRO, May 4.—Sale of former German ships, which were seized by Brazil during the war, was urged by President Pessoa in his message to congress today. A controversy over some of these vessels has arisen between this country and France.

## BEGIN ERECTION OF EXHIBIT HALL FOR JACKSON FAIR

JACKSON, Tenn., May 4. (Sp.)—The ground will be broken tomorrow for the erection of a spacious agricultural exhibit hall at the West Tennessee fair grounds, which will be the initial step in a series of improvements to be made by the fair association this year. At a total cost of approximately \$20,000, it was given out by Secretary W. F. Barry today. Materials for the erection of this building have been placed on the grounds, and the other improvements so that the entire contract will be completed prior to the fair this fall, Secretary Barry said.

Aside from the agricultural hall, to be 40 by 200 feet in dimension, a merchant exhibit building, 40 by 200 feet; a poultry building, 40 by 100 feet; a cattle barn, 40 by 200 feet; 100 swine pens with an up-to-date show lot for swine, and a considerable addition to the amphitheater are to be built. General improvements are being made about the grounds, such as draining, sodding and fencing the land. Shrubs and trees will be set out between the buildings and along the walkways in addition to other provisions to beautify the grounds. Tractors are now at work grading the grounds preparatory to making the added improvements.

Stock sales to date aggregate \$10,000 and only \$5,000 additional stock will be offered for sale.

## Overalls To Invade House Of Parliament

LONDON, May 4.—Overalls are about to invade parliament, but will be combined with spats to relieve the historic place of some of the shock. Maj. John Robert Prettyman Newman, member of the house of commons for the Finchley division of Middlesex, will be the man who will introduce denim to Westminster.

Maj. Newman has admitted his intention to wear overalls to the house, and says he became a firm convert of this means of smashing clothing prices which was inaugurated on May day. He clings to spats, however, and has told an interviewer he will wear them in connection with his unparliamentary garb.

## Step In—

If you want to discuss plans for the development of your opportunities. If you want to open an account. If you want to discuss any plans that need banking connection, do not hesitate to approach any officer of this bank. Each will gladly give the necessary information, for all of us are here to serve.

## NORTH MEMPHIS SAVINGS BANK

MAIN AND ADAMS

## Free A 10-Day Test

Send the coupon for a 10-Day Tube of Pepsodent. Then let your mirror show you what this method means.



## Millions Now See the Results

Millions of people have already made this ten-day test. They see the results in whiter teeth, and they know the teeth are safer.

Make the test which they made. Send the coupon for a 10-Day Tube. Note how clean the teeth feel after using. Mark the absence of the slimy film. See how the teeth whiten as the fixed film disappears.

Then remember that film is the great tooth wrecker. Its constant removal may entirely change the future of your teeth. Cut out the coupon so you won't forget.

## 10-DAY TUBE FREE

THE PEPSODENT COMPANY,  
Dept. A, 1104 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago  
Mail 10-Day Tube of Pepsodent to

ONLY ONE TUBE TO A FAMILY

# Gerber May Merchandise Drive.

## Surprising chances to save materially

—on merchandise of first quality, which meets the eye of the shopper on every floor and in every section of this store during this May Merchandise Drive. A determination to increase our quota for the month of May 75% has caused the managers of all the different departments to offer increased values, the like of which has never before been offered in sales. Come tomorrow, in fact come every day, secure articles necessary for the entire summer's wear or the household, for it will be impossible to reproduce these values.

### Silks

—come into the May Merchandise Drive, bringing weaves fashion approves, at savings women with their silk fabrics, to say the least, will welcome.

**3.00, 35-INCH BLACK CHIFFON** \$2.10  
A YARD

—a beautiful, soft, lustrous silk, a fine grade, and a rich black.

**2.00, 35-INCH PONGEE, A SOFT FINISH, A YARD** \$1.65

This is a very fine grade of Pongee, in natural color and laundries perfectly.

Silk store—second floor.

**Women's housegarments**

Dresses and kimonoes enter this May Drive at figures, women in need of these garments will appreciate.

**\$5.00 White Dresses, a small lot, in fine fabrics, and most attractive models, choice** \$1.98

**\$5.00 Cotton Crepe Kimonos in figured effects and solid colors, excellent styles, well made, choice** \$1.98

Housewear section—fourth floor.

**Art needlework**

—stamped pieces the lovers of hand work will want to carry on their vacations and at economy prices—

**\$1.25 Nightgowns, stamped in very smart patterns for embroidery, each** \$1.59

**\$2.25 Pillow cases, scalloped, and stamped for embroidery, for** \$1.79

Main floor.

**Laces—embroidery**

**\$2.45 Puffed flouncing of fine organdie, beautiful patterns, white, and colors** \$1.98

38 inches wide, a yard

**49c Calais laces, 2 and 3 inches wide, very attractive patterns, a yard** 39c

Main floor.

### Ribbons

**\$1.19 7-inch satin taffeta, flowered styles, beautiful colors; a yard**

**89c**

**59c moire taffeta and broad-ribbons, in lovely colorings; a yard**

**45c**

Main floor.

### Toilet articles

**50c Pebecco tooth paste; a tube**

**35c**

**25c Woodbury's facial soap; a cake**

**16c**

**35c Gerber tooth brushes; guaranteed; each**

**19c**

**20c talcum powder, fine and smooth, pound can for**

**12c**

Main floor.

### Notions

**20c Stickierie edging, all colors, 3-yard bolt, for**

**15c**

**50c Gotham elastic sanitary belts, for**

**39c**

**Beaters 10c crocheted cotton, in a white ball**

**5c**

**35c corset supporters, pink and white; a pair**

**29c**

Main floor.

### Table linens

Two special numbers at prices under the present wholesale prices.

**\$5.00, 22x32 pattern cloths, of mercerized damask, beautiful patterns, attractive styles, a dozen** \$2.98

**\$7.50, 22-inch Irish damask napkins, attractive styles, a dozen** \$3.98

Main floor.

### Curtains

—in the May Drive, featuring two specially priced numbers for tomorrow—

**\$3.00 flannel curtains, fancy and plain centers, 2 1/2 yards long, pair** \$1.95

**\$5.00 to \$15.00 curtains of Arabian lace, attractive styles, a pair** \$5.95

Drapery section—third floor.

### Beddings

—much under price in this sale, as follows—

**\$2.50 81x90 sheets, full bleached, seamless, "New Era" brand** \$1.89

"Pullaway" sheets and cases, heavy, seamless

**\$2.25 72x90 sheets** \$1.79

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**\$2.25 81x90 sheets** \$1.98

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**\$3.50 81x90 "Utica" sheets, well known as one of the best** \$2.69

on market

**"Kinked" bed spreads, durable and economical in that they require no ironing** \$2.74

**\$1.00 81x90 spreads** \$2.74

**\$1.50 81x90 spreads, scalloped** \$3.49

**\$2.00 81x90 spreads, scalloped** \$3.49

**\$2.00 81x90 sets** \$3.49

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Bedding store—second floor.

## Georgette hats

Dainty new effects at unusual savings



Very attractive new models are shown in this collection, with wide drooping brims—hats that have been selling regularly for \$8.50, \$10.00 and \$12.50—in pink, white, orchid and navy; choice for—

**\$6.00**

Millinery rooms—third floor.

### Corsets—brassieres

**\$10.00 Lily of France corsets, brocades and white coutil, with girle top, long skirts, heavy hose supporters, a pair** \$8.25

**\$2.00 "Dagobert" corsets, in pink brocades, in medium bust and topless styles, excellent grades, for** \$2.25

**Brassieres that sell regularly for \$5.00, in satin and pink, blue and white, heavy over lace ribbon shoulder straps, elastic in belt, for** \$3.75

**Bust corsetiers that sell regularly for \$1.50 of novelty silks and low and medium back, ideal for summer wear** \$1.19

Corset store—second floor.

### Silk undergarments

Two specials that come into the May Drive at reductions as follows—

**\$7.95 silk envelope chemise, plain and fancy styles, of fine silks and finished in various ways, for** \$4.69

**\$10.00 and \$12.50 crepe de chine nightgowns and satin envelope chemise and skirts, of and satin skirts of fine silks, daintily trimmed, tailored styles, choice for** \$6.95

Silk underwear section—fourth floor.

### Muslin garments

—women who participate in the May Drive will be interested in the savings—

**Women's \$3.00 muslin undergarments—skirts, nightgowns, drawers and envelope chemise, in excellent fabrics, well made of new lines and daintily trimmed, choice, a garment** \$1.39

Underwear store—fourth floor.

### Stationery

**49c tricolored stationery, 24 sheets and 24 envelopes to match in box, white, pink, buff and blue, for** 39c

Main floor.

### Fans—neck-chains

**\$1.50 fans of white silk, beautifully decorated, carved ivory sticks, for** \$1.00

**\$1.50 neck-chains, graduated beads, blue, jade, rose, pink and amber, for** 75c

Main floor.

### Women's gloves

**\$1.25 silk gloves with guaranteed finger tips; white, black, pongee, mastic, tan and gray; a pair** \$1.00

Main floor.

### Handbags

**Women's \$8.00 silk handbags, several styles of frames, silk lined, fitted; each** \$5.00

Main floor.

### Women's neckwear

**Women's 50c organdy collars, embroidered and lace trimmed, round and tuxedo shapes, choice of many effects, for** 36c

Main floor.

### Handkerchiefs

**25c Shamrock lawn handkerchiefs, embroidered designs in corners; 3 for** 50c

Main floor.

### Men's furnishings

**Boys' \$2.00 soft shirts, perfectly tailored, choice for** \$1.69

—of fine perennials and madras in white and fancy stripes, with and without collars, neatly smart styles

**Boys' 75c four-in-hand neckties of silks; choice** 59c

**Boys' \$2.00 pajamas of fine muslins, well made** \$1.69

**Men's \$3.50 midsummer pajamas for** \$2.47

**Men's \$3.00 midsummer summer weight, for** \$1.95

—cut extra full and long and well made of fine fabrics and wash broad trimmed.

Main floor.

### White fabrics

—out-of-the-ordinary savings, of which the following are typical—

**\$1.75 40-inch batiste, mercerized, dry sheer and fine, a yard** 98c

**\$2.00 44-inch Swiss organdie, imported, transparent, permanent finish, a yard** \$1.39

**40-inch voile, full 40 inches wide, a sheer** 39c

**40-inch domestic, of the well known "Hope" brand, a fine grade, a yard** 29c

Main floor.

### Children's apparel

—come into the May Drive at prices that are sure of a welcome from mothers of tots.

**Boys' \$2.00 pajamas of fine muslins, well made** \$1.69

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